

Course Specification Student Version

Course Title:	Clinical Operative Dentistry -3	
Course Code:	RDC 511	
Department:	Dentistry	
Program:	Bachelor of Dentistry	
College:	Vision College in Riyadh	
Institution:	Vision College in Riyadh	
Revised:	July 2025	



A. Course Identification

Credit hours: 2(1+0+1)
 Level/year at which this course is offered: Level 9/Year 5
 Pre-requisites for this course (if any): RDC 412: Clinical Operative Dentistry -2
 Co-requisites for this course (if any): None

B. Teaching Methods

1	Lecture	
2	Practical Session (clinic)	

C. Course Description and Objectives

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This course is built upon previous operative courses; it places greater emphasis on in-depth knowledge and advanced techniques related to both direct and indirect restorations.

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D. Course Content

No	List of Topics
1	Dental Caries, Early Detection and Diagnosis
2	Caries Management Protocol
3	Dental Adhesion
4	Recent Advances in Direct Composite Restorations
5	Indirect Esthetic Restorations
6	Conservative Esthetic Procedures
7	Repair vs. replacement
8	Clinical sessions



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E. Assessment Tools

#	Assessment task	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
1	Written exam(Midterm)	15%
2	Clinical Evaluation	45%
3	Clinical Exam	10%
4	Final Written exam	30%
	Total	100%



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F. Learning Resources

Essential References	Sturtevant's Art and science of operative dentistry. 7th edition 2018 Schwartz's Fundamentals of Operative Dentistry.
Supportive References	ADA Caries classification system for Clinical Practice, JADA 2014 Clinical Protocol for Caries Management by Risk Assessment, JCDA 2007
Electronic Materials	Composite Cavity Preparation Videos. Dentistry online, youtube.
Other Learning Materials	None

